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IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF

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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding action dated April 2, 2007, in the above-identified application, having a period for response set to expire July 2, 2007, Applicants respectfully request the claims be considered in light of the following.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.